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1963 CHEVY II

4 Door - White - Blue Trim - 6 Cylinder - AutomaticTransmission - Radio - White Walls - Stock #313 - Ask for Jesse Guill

1963 CHEVROLET

IMPALA - 4 Door Sedan - Bronze - White Top - Bronze Trim - V8 - Automatic Transmission - Power Steering - Radio - White Walls - Stock #314-Ask for Webb Babcock

1967 CHEVROLET

IMPALA - 4 Door Hardtop - White - Black Vinyl Trim - 327 V8 Engine - Automatic Transmission - Power Steering - Radio - Factory Air Condition - Stock #300 - Ask for Webb Babcock.

1966 CHEVROLET

IMPALA - 4 Door Hardtop - Grecian Gray - Black Black vinyl roof cover - V8 Engine - Automatic Transmission Power Steering - Radio - White Walls - Stock # for Jim Williams -

1966 OLDSMOBILE

DELTA 88 - 4 Door - Fathom Blue - Blue Vinyl Trim - Power Steering - Power Brakes - Automatic Transmission - Factory Air Condition - Radio - White Walls - Stock # 302 Ask for Jesse Guill

1965 FORD

GALAXIE 500 - 4 Door Hardtop - Beige - Black Top - Black Interior - V8 Engine - Automatic Transmission - Power Steering, Power Brakes, Radio - White Walls- Factory Air Condition - Stock #305 - Ask for Jim Williams

1966 CHEVROLET

IMPALA - 4 Door Hardtop - Fawn - Matching Vinyl Trim- 327 V8 Engine - Power Steering, Power Brakes - Factory Air Condition - Radio - White Walls - Stock # 304- Ask for John C. Harvey -

1967 CHEVROLET

BEL AIR - Ice Green - Fawn Trim - 327 V8 Automatic Transmission - Radio - White Walls - One Owner - Extra Clean - Stock #305 - Ask for Webb

1965 OLDSMOBILE

DELTA 88 - 4 Door Sedan - White - Black Vinyl Roof - Blue Interior - Automatic Transmission - Power Steering Power Brakes - White Walls - Radio - Stock # 306 - Ask for Jesse Guill

1966 CHEVROLET

BEL AIR - 2 Door Sedan - Maroon - Beige Trim - 327 V8 Engine - Automatic Transmission - Radio White Walls - Stock # 307 - Ask for Webb Babcock -

1966 CHEVROLET

BEL AIR- 4 Door Sedan - Turquoise - Matching Trim - 283 V8 Engine - Automatic Transmission - Radio - White Walls - Stock #306 - Ask for Jim Williams.

1965 CHEVROLET

IMPALA- 4 Door Sedan - Light Green - White Top Trim - 327 V8 Engine - Automatic Transmission Steering - Radio - White Walls - Stock # 303 - Jesse Guill -

1967 CHEVROLET

BISCAYNE - 4 Door Sedan - Sky Blue - Blue Vinyl Trim - 327 V8 Engine - Radio - White Walls - Stock # 310 - Ask for John C. Harvey

1967 VOLKSWAGEN

2 Door - Beige - Black Trim - Radio - White Walls - Stock # 311 - Ask for Webb Babcock -

1965 CHEVROLET

BISCAYNE - 4 Door Sedan - Light Green - Matching Trim - 6 Cylinder Engine - Automatic Transmission - Radio - White Walls - Stock #312 - Ask for Jim Williams -

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Father Darkleaf

By: Chris Robinson

This is written on the longest day of the year, calendarwise, and I expect the longest in other ways. For one reason I was born on next to the last day of this year. And it is time to tell all you know about the truth of the matter, that there is never a "long day" in Appomattox. Bible ref: Ecclesiastes.

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Recently I suggested that, of course, Appomattox needed an Historical Society. Towns, cities and counties all over have formed with much less to commend them, most loosely-organized. A few years ago I went through a period of "pruning" and narrowed down the number of memberships. However, civic and social groups are the marrow of society, and I was pleased to hear from my friend, Stuart Farrar, of Richmond, arguing that such a group formed, A few others approved and we are on the way to having enough interest to proceed. If you write or phone, have a list of those who would attend an organizing meeting.

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Dear Joe: I am the Martha Washington corn-on-the-cob and am all set to prove my worth if need is the ammunition.

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Main interest: ever watch people who were having their photo taken? I passed by and watch a group of men in baseball uniforms waiting for the camera. The men had decided that the gloves, hats were out of place and thought up the problem. The hands were to do with the bats and then there was the matter of keeping on or off the baseball caps. Some would have shaded their faces so they might not recognize individual. Upshot of it was the guys got restless and decided to get on with the game without worries of doubting if they would be in a picture. Happened in front of Lynchburg.

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Anniversary . . . with July being a mid-coming holiday, I think one of Gen. U. S. Grant's daughters was born on July 4th and Nellie thought her childhood that all the bands and celebration honored her birthday! Well, what's wrong with that! We are in a hurry to forget birthdays, don't we?

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Yes, once I attended a one-room school. At Locust Hill in Madison County. As I recall there were only five pupils and we had to accept the fact we were enough to play anteed on a "prisoners' base, and I think in class we sat on long benches with a long home-made table in front. My deskmate was Clarence Amos. Gee, that desk was a collector's item, for I carried it with our pocket knives and a Frye's geography as a screen to protect the eyes of "Miss Molly" the teacher. And why do I remember this: in our leading newspaper I read that Clarence Amos had passed away years ago, after a useful career in an industry in Orange, Virginia. Yesterday to Betsy, a young lady who recently graduated from high school in a class of 1,000. I went on to graduate with classes at high school and college, but somehow a bit of nostalgia seized me in remembering a close association in that one-room school. I never knew what happened to Clarence Amos again after a year in grade school but I remember him, and I know his name is on the Eternal Roll.

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Quickly now, I need a four line sign-off. I will have to shoot Julip Jr., the rabbit under our back porch at 8:30. When I poked my head out at 6:30 to check the deed, Julip Jr. was eating my right at the front door and I had to run down, charging me for sleeping. Get with the program, he seemed to say as he ambled off to see if my carrots were becoming available in the garden. Okeh, Jr., I will do it. There is no excuse for not where the action is.

Tenting Tonight . . .

Members of the 3rd Arkansas Regiment Volunteer Infantry, Confederate States of America, (above) have set up camp at Appomattox Court House National Historical Park in order to make the last days of the Confederacy a "living history" for visitors to the Park. Their food? Hard Tack and parched corn, some meat (pork) and sassafras tea, as authentic to the 1860's as the dress they wear. (From left): Bill Spencer, Bob Stevens, Pete Slaveheff and Chris Calkins, all from Detroit. Chris plays the part of the Yankee captor in charge of the Confederates.

Plans Moving Ahead For Piedmont Research Station

Plans to establish a Multi-Purpose Agricultural Research Station to serve the Southern Piedmont area of Virginia are moving forward according to Dr. P. Howard Massey, Associate Dean of the Va. Tech College of Agriculture.

A Site Screening Committee, composed of T. L. Copley of Mecklenburg County, W. S. Adkisson, Jr. Halifax County, H. C. Porter, Va. Tech, and J.L Tramel, Jr. Va.Tech, investigated some 30 sites suggested by local groups and individuals in the area.

Points considered by the Committee in evaluating the proposed sites included soil groups available, uniformity of the soils, topography and terrain of the area, potential sources of irrigation water, present land use, and location.

Dean Massey stated that a report from the Site Screening Committee listed nine potential sites that were recommended for further detailed investigation for soil suitability by a team of soils specialists. According to Dean Massey, the nine sites slated for further study are dispersed throughout the 21-county area which the station is proposed to serve. He expects the team of soils specialists to complete their detailed investigations of these sites by early fall.

An area of approximately 1,000 acres suitable for research on all the important agricultural enterprises of the area, including crops, livestock, and forestry is needed to establish the proposed facility.

The 1970 General Assembly passed a resolution endorsing the proposal. A request for 1,100,000 dollars to establish the station has been submitted to the Governor for consideration by the General Assembly during the 1972 session. Dr. T. Marshall Hahn, President of Va. Tech, said this request was the number one priority in the Research Division's capital outlay budget.

Legion Post To Meet Mon.

American Legion Post 104 will hold its regular meeting Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. at the Legion Hall. All members are urged to attend.

Dr. O'Brien Heads County Cancer Unit

The Appomattox County Unit of the American Cancer Society met on Monday, June 21st, at 7:30 p.m. in the Appomattox County High School Library.

Officers for the new year were elected at this quarterly meeting. Dr. C. G. O'Brien will again serve as president of the local unit. Other officers elected were Rev. R. Q. Lawing, vice-president; Mrs. Janet Noble, secretary and Mrs. Mary Alma Hudson, treasurer.

The annual meeting will be held in September and a very interesting program is being planned. All meetings are open to the public, but members of the Appomattox County Unit especially hope you will plan to attend the annual meeting. When plans are completed for the program, a special invitation will be issued to all civic organizations and all citizens of the county to share in this interesting and informative meeting.

Water Supply Subject Of Meeting 25th

A public meeting has been called for Friday , June 25 by the Town Council of Pamplin to inform householders and property owners about the need for an up-to-date water supply for Pamplin City.

Meeting time will be 8 p.m. at the Pamplin Elementary School, and mayor Richard F. Williams says that Congressman Watkins M. Abbitt, Creed Elliott, representing the engineering firm of Hankins and Anderson, Richmond; representatives of the county Health Dept. and the Va. State Water Control Board will be at the meeting to confer with those attending.

Get In On The Action In Sports

A Sports Clinic for girls began Monday with about fifteen participants under the direction of Leonda Hudson, rising college sophomore and Appomattox County High graduate, as instructor.

Classes are held each day Monday - Friday from 9 - 12 in basketball, softball, volleyball, LaCrosse, badminton, speedball, techniques of handball, basics in gymnastics and softball plus others.

Leonda says that "younger girls" can attend besides high school students, and that she will be able to offer individual instruction in various sports during the afternoon hours. There is no charge. Leonda's telephone is 352-7922. The program is being sponsored by the Appomattox County School Board and Roanoke College.

Conference On Family 20-22nd

The first State Family Resources Conference will be held in conjunction with the Va. Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs annual meeting at Virginia Tech July 20th-22nd.

Anyone interested in improving family life, the community in which you live, or the groups and organizations you participate in may attend.

Workshops will be conducted on six topics of interest to all Virginia citizens. Interesting and challenging speakers will present information of value to you to share with others.

This conference also gives you the opportunity to visit your land grant university, Va. Polytechnic Institute & State University.

Get pre - registration information from the Appomattox Extension Office (352 - 8244). Pre - registration must be completed by July 10th, 1971.

Appomattox FFA Best Overall

The Appomattox County FFA chapter was recognized as winner of the State FFA Chapter Contest during the closing session of the 45th annual State FFA Convention. The Appomattox County chapter has 182 active members. The members conducted an average of 4.4 agricultural enterprises per member and earned more than $4000 to finance chapter activities during the year.

The chapter president, Gary Thomas, was presented a check for $50 and the state plaque. Chapter advisors are H. B. Pack R. B. Carter, W. T. Johnson and W. C. Perrow.

Second place in the state chapter contest went to C. T. Smith, of Caroline County. Third place was won by Montevideo of Rockingham County. Richlands of Tazewell County placed fourth. Independence of Grayson County took fifth place and Turner Ashby of Rockingham County sixth.

Rural Retreat, Richlands, C. T. Smith, West Point, Montevideo and Appomattox received area plaques. The Appomattox County, C. T. Smith, Montevideo and Richlands chapters will represent Virginia in the National Chapter Contest. Presentation of National Emblem awards will be a feature of the National FFA Convention in Kansas City in October.

Carol Wood

Elected FHA State President

The Virginia Association Future Homemakers of America held its 26th Annual Convention at Hotel Roanoke June 15-16. The theme for the convention was "It's Our World -Future Homemakers". Appomattox County High School sent two delegates to the convention, Debbie Rowe, President of the Campbell-Appomattox Federation and Ellen Doss, Chapter Vice-President. Carol Wood, officer candidate was elected to the office of state treasurer. Caro is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wood of Appomattox. She is presently serving as president of the local Appomattox County High F.H.A. Chapter. The highlight of the convention was a banquet luncheon held in the ball room of the Hotel Roanoke. Guest speaker for the luncheon was Mrs. Linwood Holton. At the luncheon the new state officers were installed. They are President, Joan Worsham, Vice-President, Wanda Fleming; Vice - President, Wanda Dorton; Secretary, Brenda Thompson; Treasurer, Carol Wood; Reporter, Nancy Massie; Historian, Sandra Bryant.

During the convention Appomattox County High was recognized as an outstanding chapter.

Lions To Install New Officers

Installation of 1971-72 officers by Lion J. Sam Hudson, Chairman of Sight Conservation in District 29 B, will be the highlight of the Lions meeting at Parkway Thurs., June 24, at 6:-45 p.m.

Officers to be installed are Earl J. Smith, pres.; Eugene W. Peyton, 1st v.p.; Dr. J. A. Mathews, 2nd v.p.; V. O. Mims, 3rd v.p.; R. Murrell Ferguson, secy-treas.; S. B. Waddell, Tail Twister; M. V. Harvey, Lion Tamer, Directors - 2 yr.-term Dr. C. G. O'Brien and R. W. Carter. One-year directors: M. G. Stimpson and M. L. Webb.

Grand Master Makes Official Visit

The Most Worshipful Grand Master of Virginia, Charles Franklin Shuler (third from left) made his official visit Thurs. evening to Masonic lodges of this area during a dinner at Pamplin Elementary School and later at a meeting in Lodge 191, Pamplin. Among those attending were (from left): C. B. Rush, Worshipful Master, Lodge 191, Pamplin; Roy McCrickard, Wor. Mas. Monroe 301, Appomattox; Most Wor. Gr. Master Shuler, W. S. Covington, of Pamplin, District Deputy Grand Master, 26th Masonic District; J. V. Lewis, Wor. Master, Prospect Lodge 279; John Lewis Jr., Wor. Master, Farmville Lodge #41 and Luther Zirkle, Wor. Master, Cumberland Lodge 283. Dinner was served by women of the Eastern Star, Pamplin.

Town Authorizes Plans For New Sewage Treatment Plant

Pamplin Seeks GA$ For Firetruck

That fire truck in the photo still needs a lot of GA$ to make it go up the hill to $12,500 says fire chief H. J. St. John (right) as he and Weldon Covington, pres. and Herbert Richardson, v. pres. of Pamplin Vol. Fire Dept. set out on a financial campaign to raise funds for a new fire truck. The signboard is next to the Post Office in Pamplin. Donors can mail in checks if they care to the treasurer, Stuart Farrar, or see any other officer or member of the Fire Dept. Each Dollar will help PUSH the truck up the hill!

Landowners Are Reminded Of 'Car' Ordinance

Appomattox Town Council, meeting Monday night, gave authorization for preparation of plans for a sewage treatment plant and feeder lines.

The authorization and discussion of town needs and future planning was part of a tour of almost all of the town-owned properties and facilities. The tour included the Town-County sanitary fill, just off Rt. 604 south and west of the town. Also, the present waste treatment plant, the sewage lagoon, wells 6, 5 and one and the garage and storage space on Linden St.

Mayor H. B. Pack reported the content of a special meeting held Wed., June 9 with was attended by councilmen, the mayor and state officials, including W. S. Slagle, State Water Control Board representative, Morris Brown , Health director, State Dept. of Health and the town's engineer representative, C. T. Elliott, who is associated with Hankins and Anderson, Counsulting Engineers of Richmond.

According to Water Control Board authorities and the consulting engineers Appomattox finds itself in the position of being unable to provide connect connections for a proposed shopping center because of the limited capacity of both the sewage treatment plant and the sewage lagoon. Hankins and Anderson has been requested to draw up plans for a plant and feeder lines, capable of serving 2,320 persons, estimated population by the year 2,000.

According to mayor H. B. Pack the last of the town's outstanding water bonds ($45,000 demonination) were paid last month. Sewer bonds were paid up last year and the town has now no outstanding indebtedness. That's just as well, says the mayor, because "by the time you get your system paid for, it is out-of-date or needs to be enlarged." The sewage plant was built in 1937 and the lagoon in 1964.

There's also the matter of a fire truck to pay for. Concerning other matters, Councilman T. E. (Sonny) Conner pointed out the deadline for screening junked cars was April 29, 1971, according to a zoning ordinance adopted by the town two years ago. Wrecked or inoperable cars must be screened, either by natural growth or by fencing. Conner also reminded Council that there are in the town refrigerators, left outside buildings, in which a child could become

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Postal Patrons Invited To Spout Spring

The inauguration of the new United States Postal Service on July 1, will be celebrated in Washington, D.C., and in every post office across the country. Post Master Norman H. Jones, of Spout Spring, has announced that all members of the community are invited to visit their local post office on July 1st and enjoy the hospitality of the men and women who comprise the new U. S. Postal Service.

Dedication ceremonies in Washington will be hosted by Postmaster General Blount. Honored guests at the dedication will include members of Congress, former Postmasters General, the Board of Governors of the new Post Service and their wives, as well as Assistant Postmasters General, headquarters personnel and other dignitaries.

Visitors to the Spout Spring post office will be given a souvenir envelope imprinted with the old and new insignia of the Postal Service. This envelope will also be made available in limited numbers as a first day cancelation -- for just the cost of an 8¢ stamp -- by stamping and cancelling half of the souvenir envelopes in advance. This will be the first time First Day Covers have been available in all U.S. Post Offices.

FFA Chapter Attends State Convention

Appomattox FFA Chapter is taking part in the State FFA Convention this week which is being held on the campus of VPI in Blacksburg, VA.

Appomattox will be represented by a Dairy Judging Team consisting of Phillip Harris, Ricky Lewis and Randy Foster. Appomattox will also have a crop judging team consisting of Gary Thomas, Donald Drinkard, and Jimmy Braford.

Mike Gallier and Al Johnson also representing the Appomattox Chapter, has been selected to sing in the State FFA Chorus. Byron Seltz from the Appomattox Chapter has been selected to play in the State FFA Band.

Philip Locaco will participate in the State FFA tractor operators contest.

Accompaning these boys to Blacksburg will be their instructors - H. B. Pack, W. T. Johnson, R. B. Carter and W. C. Perrow.

Certificates Are Awarded To Nine Adults

Adult Basic Education Certificates were awarded to nine men and women on Friday evening, May 28, with husbands, wives and guests witnessing the event at a covered dish supper. Classes have been held from September to May. The teacher was Mrs. Teresa W. Hamlet, Mrs. Margaret Harvey assisted as Teacher - Aide, Daniel W. Davis, Supervisor, taught special topics.

The School Board will again sponsor Adult Education next fall and invites the county citizens to participate. Any citizen interested may call or write to the School Board Office. Receiving certificates were Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Christian, the Rev. Mrs. Nannie Abbitt, Mr. Percy Johnson, Mr. Lorenza McCoy, Mrs. Ellen Mays, Mrs. Harriett Booker, Mrs. Hannah Rice and Mrs. Nancy Miller.

Afghan Gift Nets $104

Miss Bessie Marshall's gift of a hand crocheted afghan to the Appomattox County Rescue Squad resulted in an additional $104.50 for the Squad's operating expenses treasury AND a lovely, multi-colored afghan for Mrs. Dorothy Stevens, whose name was drawn Sat., June 19 at 1 p.m. in the Squad Building.

Lunch Conference Held Here

A School Lunch Conference held here last week included participation by John F. Miller, State Supervisor, School Lunch, State Dept. of Education, Richmond (far left), Mrs. Cordelia K. Powell, Ass't. State Supervisor, School Lunch, State Dept. of Education, Boydton (center) and Mrs. Bertha King, manager, Appomattox Intermediate School where the conference was held June 15-17. Only two of Va.'s public schools are without a school lunch program says Mr. Miller. The state-wide program provided about 150,000,000 meals during the school year with 64% of the children in attendance eating Type A school lunches. The 3-day conference included food preparation demonstrations, lectures and awarding of certificates to more than 200 attending. Each one had access to colorful posters like those shown here to use on bulletin boards or for classroom use.